

Jacksonville Daily Journal

SEVENTY-SIXTH YEAR.

JACKSONVILLE, ILLINOIS, THURSDAY, MARCH 26, 1908.

THREE CENTS A COPY.

MORE ATTACKS ON PRESIDENT

DEMOCRATS CONTINUE TO DENOUNCE ROOSEVELT.

Stanley of Kentucky Had His Say in House Yesterday—Senate Votes on Amendments to Currency Bill—Other News.

Washington, March 25.—In the course of a bitter denunciation of President Roosevelt, on the floor of the house to day, Stanley (Ky.) compared him with Alexander Hamilton, who he designated as "An obscure adventurer," and both of whom he said had profound contempt for the constitution and displayed everlasting impatience with its restraints. The president was a man who relished glamor, and who became intoxicated by applause. On the other hand, he said, Bryan had the respect of the country as a statesman and was trusted as a man.

Apparently ignoring Stanley's remarks, Cocks representing the president's district, defended the president against the recent attack of Willett, who, while representing another district, is a constituent of his colleague.

Willett, replying, declared his complete ability to defend all that he said. All remarks were made during the general debate on the agricultural appropriation bill, consideration of which had not been concluded when the house adjourned.

Senate.

The voting on amendments to the currency bill consumed nearly the entire session of the senate to day. All committee amendments were accepted and incorporated in the bill, and all other amendments except one were disagreed to, voting showing conclusively only with the sanction of the committee could any change be made in the bill.

A good deal of progress was made by the senate to day in disposing of proposed amendment to Aldrich currency bill. It was evident throughout the session that the bill will be perfected in the form approved by the committee as no proposition that failed to receive the sanction of the committee received substantial support. Amendments reported by the committee were all adopted without opposition, and then one senator after another offered additional amendments, which, except in cases of one proposed by Dapont and one by Lodge, were voted down. Dupont's amendment provided that during the first six months emergency currency is out interest shall be paid at the rate of one-half of one per cent per month and after six months 3/4 of one per cent per month.

Lodge's amendment admitted bonds of the insular government of Porto Rico as basis for emergency currency.

Aldrich promised the committee would take up all amendments relating to bank reserves and report tomorrow.

An amendment by Hepburn, requiring national banks to keep on hand not less than 15 per cent of their deposits as a reserve was defeated, 58 to 2.

McLaurin offered amendments, all of which were defeated, by which he sought to make the government claim against failed national banks on account of issuance of emergency notes subordinate to those of depositors; also providing no officer of a national bank shall be permitted to hold office in any other such bank and providing that individuals should be allowed to receive treasury notes from the department on the same terms that the bill permits banks to secure emergency currency. Nelson offered an amendment, which was voted down, allowing banks to make loans on farm mortgages.

War Ships Ordered to Hayti.

Two additional war vessels were ordered to Hayti to day, following a conference of officials of the state and navy departments. As the Des Moines already has been sent to the scene of the recent outbreak, which endangered the lives of foreigners on the island, the United States will be represented by their war vessels in Haytian waters. The vessels dispatched to day are the gunboats Marietta and Paducah, both of which have been at Guantanamo, Cuba, preparing for target practice. The exact nature of disquieting news from Hayti, the receipt of which brought about to day's precautionary step, was not disclosed by the state department.

Pension Bill.

Representative Landis (Ind.) to day introduced a bill to pension at the rate of \$30 a month every honorably discharged soldier or sailor who served one year in the Civil War or sixty days in the Mexican war.

LIVELY CONVENTION

Black Eyes, Skinned Heads and Bruised Faces Result of Republican Gathering in Tennessee.

Nashville, Tenn., March 25.—The Republicans of Tennessee assembled here this morning for the state convention. To night black eyes, skinned heads and bruised faces testify to a riot that marked the gathering in the hall of the house of representatives at the capital. In the list of casualties Chairman Sanders of the state executive committee, figures prominently. His experience in the hall was one never to be forgotten by him and to witnesses of the turbulent scene it seemed almost incredible that he suffered no real physical harm. As it was he presented a sorry picture when he emerged from the battle which occurred between the faction, one supporting the interest of Congressman Brownlow, the other those of former Commissioner of Pensions Evans. The Brownlow forces wanted W. J. Oliver of Knoxville, for national committeeman; the Evans men favored the candidacy of N. W. Hale for that position. By sheer force of number and fighting powers, the Brownlow-Oliver-Austin crowd took and held the hall, nominated a ticket and adopted a motion that delegates to the national convention go instructed. The Evans-Hale forces held no convention, but will meet to morrow and name a ticket.

The Brownlow-Oliver forces took possession of the convention hall shortly after 6 o'clock this morning. Guards placed there by the state committee were rejected. They held the field and when the time came went ahead with organization of the convention. Hardly had Chairman Davis rapped for order, however, before the Evans-Sanders-Hale charge was on. With a regular football tactic they started for the rostrum. Before the Oliver squad could pull itself together, Sanders had reached the platform and was proceeding to call the convention to order again. But he did not get far before the Oliver forces came to, then backward and forward the struggling mass surged. The Sanders guards could not stem the tide, and he was literally torn from their grasp, his clothes torn almost all off and was bodily lifted from his feet and carried out on the veranda. While all this was going on fights innumerable were in progress and the hall was bedlam. Ten came the police and something resembling order was restored.

In the course of the riot R. T. Cameron of Chattanooga, a Brownlow man, it is said, broke four folding chairs over the head of a negro delegate who had given him some "back talk." With the police looking on, the Oliver-Brownlow men went into convention, the Evans crowd offering no further interference than yells and jeers at the speakers.

BANK OFFICIALS WARNED.

Threatened With Death Unless Depositors Are Paid in Full.

Ottumwa, Iowa, March 25.—Dr. A. O. Cover and Frank Llewellyn, directors of the Farmers' and Drivers' State bank of Seymour, closed by the state bank examiner recently, when Cashier Leroy Ware was found short \$4,000, received threatening letters to day, presumably from miners who lost their savings in the bank failure. The men are threatened with death unless all depositors are paid in full within four days. Ware is now in the prison, and the bank is not in condition to meet its obligations.

MAY RAISE THE LICENSE.

Peoria, Ill., March 24.—A resolution was introduced in the city council, providing for the raising of the saloon license from \$500 to \$1,000 per year. The matter was referred to the license committee. The question of increasing the license has been discussed informally for months and it is understood that the council is about evenly divided on the proposition.

PRAIRIE FIRE.

Chamberlain, S. D., March 25.—The most disastrous prairie fire in this section in many years started this afternoon between Pukwana and Kimball. A high wind is sweeping from the southeast. A number of farmers lost all of their outbuildings and homes.

SICK MEN IMPROVING.

Trenton, S. C., March 25.—Senator Tillman's condition is improving very slowly. Washington, March 25.—There was a marked improvement to day in the condition of Representative Sherman of New York, who has been ill in a hospital here.

REPUBLICANS OF ILLINOIS

MEET IN CONVENTION IN SPRINGFIELD TO DAY.

Will Select Four Delegates to National Convention and Names Favorite Candidate for President—Statement by Cannon's Manager.

Springfield, March 25.—To morrow noon Republicans of Illinois will meet to select delegates to the national convention and name the favorite candidate for the presidential nomination. The entire work of the delegates will consist of the selection of four delegates and four alternates at large and adoption of a platform. The delegates at large will be Senator Shelby M. Cullom, Senator Albert J. Hopkins, Gov. Charles S. Deneen and Mayor Fred A. Busse of Chicago.

The platform will endorse Speaker Cannon for president; favor "adjustment" of the tariff; endorse the financial policy of the Deneen administration and its management of state institutions and will also commend the management of other state offices and will signify its approval of the work of the last legislature, specifying among other things civil service and primary election laws, 2 cent law, deep waterways act.

George T. Buckingham of Danville, will be both temporary and permanent chairman. Although no nominations for state officers are to be made to morrow all candidates have opened headquarters and are conducting campaigns, the main fight being for the gubernatorial nomination between Governor Deneen and ex-Governor Yates.

Congressman William B. McKinley, manager of the Cannon forces, to day for the first time during the campaign, gave out a statement of his estimate of strength for the speaker at the Chicago convention. McKinley said:

Cannon's Strength.

"The campaign has progressed far enough that we are warranted in asserting cannon will have not less than 146 votes on the first ballot at Chicago. Besides the entire 54 votes of Illinois we will have 48 from the youth, 12 from New England, 8 scattering from eastern states, 16 from the west, and 8 southwest. This added to the strength of the 'favorite sons' of several states will constitute a considerable majority of the convention. No candidate can be nominated on the first or second ballots. Cannon will on the second ballot develop such an increase of strength as to make him at once the most conspicuous figure of the convention. This increase will come from the support of all other candidates and will show his strength. His active public career of more than thirty years, consistent service for the Republican party, cordial relations existing between the speaker and the white house and between him and all other candidates and party leaders, assures Cannon the greatest personal following among all delegates. This places the speaker in the best strategic position for the nomination. He will be nominated soon after the second ballot."

Deneen Supporters.

At a caucus to night of chairmen of the Republican committees 82 counties were represented out of 102 in the state, and all pledged their organization for Deneen for governor.

ANARCHIST ARRESTED.

San Francisco, March 25.—Paul Bignami, head of a local colony of anarchists, was arrested to day and an attempt will be made to deport him. Bignami last night harangued a crowd and was heard by Police-man Rocca to say the fleet, on its arrival, should be blown out of the water; that president Roosevelt should be assassinated and the police department wiped out of existence.

KILLED BY STREET CAR.

Cleveland, Ohio, March 25.—Morris Wiseman, 53, a push cart peddler, was struck by a street car to night and killed. The car ran over the man, cutting his head from his body. The head rolled from the car tracks to the gutter.

CHICAGO CHAMPION.

Philadelphia, Pa., March 25.—The basketball game resulted: University of Chicago, 17; University of Pennsylvania, 16. This gives Chicago the college championship.

DEATHS.

St. Paul, Minn., March 25.—Mother Benedicta, who has been superior of St. Joseph's German Catholic Orphan asylum of this city since it was founded in 1877, is dead, aged 67.

A SURPRISED MAN

Germany Declines to Receive David Jayne Hill as Ambassador to Succeed Towers.

Washington, March 25.—An intimation has reached the state department from the embassy at Berlin that the appointment of Dr. David Jayne Hill as successor to Ambassador Tower may not be entirely acceptable to the German people.

No reasons are given for the alleged dissatisfaction, nor will the state department admit that the matter has been put in official form. Some weeks ago the government signified its approval of Hill's selection for the post. Ambassador Tower's resignation has not yet been received, although he has written the president that he intended resigning.

Paris, March 25.—David Jayne Hill, who arrived this evening from The Hague, expressed surprise when informed by the Associated Press that the German government declined to receive him in the capacity of American ambassador to succeed Tower. He said this was the first intimation he had of the German government's action and he was at loss to make announcement and especially he had personally saw the official communication from Germany to Washington, expressing satisfaction over ratification of his selection for that position by President Roosevelt. Moreover, he said, on a recent visit to Berlin he did not hear anything that would lead him to believe he was persona non grata to Germany, nor had he received the impression the situation was different from that expressed in the official communication he read. Roosevelt, he added, informed him he intended to appoint him.

The announcement of Germany's attitude towards him caused surprise in French diplomatic circles, in which Hill is well known, especially from his writings on international law and his service in the Hague conference. Minister Hill came to Paris on a business mission, and said to night he did not know just when he would return to The Hague.

The Matin thinks the reason for Germany's refusal to accept Dr. Hill is the attitude he and other American delegates adopted at The Hague conference. This attitude on several occasions greatly displeased Germany.

DISTRUST HAYTI.

Powers Will Keep Warship at Port au Prince.

Port au Prince, March 25.—Notwithstanding that since the arrival of the foreign warships at this port, the Haytian government has adopted a conciliatory attitude regarding those responsible for the recent uprising and those to whom the stigma of disloyalty had attached, diplomatic representatives of the powers united recently in recommending to their respective governments it would be advisable to keep in rotation one warship at Port au Prince. The German minister to Hayti received an official dispatch to day that this arrangement will be satisfactory to Germany. The announcement yesterday that the government had withdrawn its objection to the embarkation of refugees in foreign legations was apparently incorrect, for to day the government announced it would allow the refugees in the French and German legations until noon tomorrow to return to their homes, in default of which it would condemn them to exile.

SUIT BEGUN.

Chicago, March 25.—Henry M. Bostwick, receiver of the defunct First National bank of Charleston, Iowa, began suit in the United States circuit court here to day to recover \$50,000 from Mrs. A. L. Mallory, and an equal amount from Mrs. J. M. Thayer. The women are stockholders in the bank and it is claimed by the receiver they received dividends from the institution after it had become bankrupt. He seeks to recover these and also some portions of the bank's debts for which stockholders are personally liable.

DROWNS HERSELF AND SON.

La Crosse, Wis., March 25.—Despondent over the death of an older son, Mrs. Wenzel Briedel, wife of a wealthy farmer near here, drowned herself and 4 year old son in a cistern.

MURDERER SUICIDES.

Butte, Mont., March 25.—W. C. Byckfor, a Wyoming horse thief, who yesterday murdered Sheriff Webb of Yellowstone county, committed suicide this afternoon rather than surrender to a posse that had him surrounded.

CONSECRATED BISHOP.

Racine, Wis., March 25.—Rev. Henry Douglas Robinson was consecrated bishop of Nevada to day in St. Luke's Episcopal church. The presiding bishop, Right Rev. D. S. Tuttle of Missouri, was consecrator, and Right Rev. T. F. Gailor, bishop of Tennessee, preached the sermon.

INSTRUCTED FOR BRYAN

NEBRASKAN SECURES DELLEGATES FROM INDIANA.

Majority Will Vote for Re-election of Taggart as National Committeeman—Results of Other Conventions Held.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 25.—Delegates of the state Democratic convention this afternoon selected by districts twenty-six delegates to the national convention at Denver and the committee on rules selected four delegates at large. All the thirty national delegates will vote for Bryan for president and the majority of them will vote for the re-election of National Chairman Taggart as Indiana member of the national committee.

The state convention held a brief session at noon and adjourned until to night to allow districts to hold conventions and select members of committee, which will report tomorrow.

The seventh (Indianapolis) district meeting this afternoon was warmly contested and the Taggart opposition withdrew and held a "rump" convention, which selected two national delegates. County Chairman Fogarty, who led the opposition, stated he would carry the contest to the national convention probably.

While at the district meetings this afternoon did not instruct, there was no division of sentiment as to the presidential choice of state delegates or those selected to the national convention. All are for Bryan. The convention to morrow will endorse him.

Robert W. Miers of Bloomington, former congressman of the second district, was chosen chairman of the convention and addressed the meeting to night, following adoption of the report of the committee on rules and permanent organization.

The committee on rules selected as national electors Adam Heimlicher of New Albany, and J. W. Spencer of Evansville.

The committee ratified the list of national delegates and alternates selected at the district meetings, including Taggart delegates selected by the seventh district. The report was read by Judge Downing of Aurora, chairman of the committee, at the opening of the night session and unanimously adopted.

NORTH DAKOTA DEMOCRATS.

Grand Forks, N. D., March 25.—After almost three hours of oratory this afternoon the committee on resolutions for the Democratic state convention reported resolutions, the chief purpose of which was the endorsement of Bryan as nominee of the national Democratic convention at Denver. The resolutions instructed the delegates to vote for Bryan.

Governor Johnson's friends made no effort to secure endorsement. Governor Burke's administration was endorsed and William Collins of Bottineau chosen national committeeman. Governor Burke was chosen delegate at large by acclamation. District conventions elected other delegates to the national convention as follows: First district, David Gorham; second district, E. B. Kage; third district, M. A. Hildreth; fourth district, P. H. Perry; fifth district, G. W. Swideh; sixth district, Frank Lish; seventh district, J. W. McLean.

AGENT UNDER ARREST.

Assaulted Woman Who Refused to Accept Picture.

Eau Claire, Wis., March 25.—Jeferson O. Shaw of Winona, Minn., to night is under arrest at Neillsville, Wis., for assaulting Mrs. Tony Burnett of that place because, it is alleged, she refused to accept a picture ordered from Shaw, who is agent for a concern that enlarges pictures. According to Mrs. Burnett's story the agent knocked her down and beat her. Mrs. Burnett shortly after the assault, gave birth to a baby, whose skull was crushed, it is said.

BRYAN IN VIRGINIA.

Richmond, Va., March 25.—William Jennings Bryan, speaking under the auspices of the general assembly of Virginia, addressed an audience of 5,000 in the city auditorium to night. He spoke on Democratic principles and discussed important public questions.

CONDITION MORE SERIOUS.

London, March 25.—The condition of Premier Campbell-Bannier is steadily becoming more serious. His weakness was accentuated during the course of the day to such an extent that at times he failed to recognize persons around his bedside.

GOV. GUILD'S CONDITION.

Boston, Mass., March 25.—The condition of Governor Guild remains unchanged. To night he is resting comfortably.

TRY TO ROB BANK

Attempt to Murder Man Who Lived Over Building at Christman, Illinois.

Danville, Ill., March 25.—Robbers, last night, broke into the State bank at Christman, Ill., and fearing to dynamite the safe because of the presence upstairs of J. W. Dally, who lives over the bank, attempted to murder him in his room. He fought a duel with the robbers and wounded one, after about twenty shots had been fired. The men escaped and Dally is at the head of a posse in pursuit of them. The town is greatly excited.

DIED OF F.WOUNDS.

Diplomat Stevens, Shot by Korean, Passes Away.

San Francisco, March 25.—Durham W. Stevens died to night at 11:30, a few minutes after recovery from an anesthetic administered when the operation was performed earlier in the evening.

San Francisco, March 25.—Alarmingly symptoms appeared in the case of D. W. Stevens late to night. An operation hastily performed revealed peritonitis as seen. The incisions were found to be punctured in six places. Physicians say he cannot live beyond morning.

INTERESTED IN STEVENS.

Tokio, March 25.—The house of representatives to day passed resolutions of condolence to be cabled to Stevens, advisor to the Korean council of state, who was shot and seriously wounded by a Korean at San Francisco last Monday. A similar resolution was passed by the house of lords. The news of Stevens' condition is eagerly sought in all circles.

KING LEOPOLD SUFFERS.

Brussels, March 25.—King Leopold of Belgium is now admitted by his physicians to be in a serious condition. His health has been bad for some time. A few days ago he took a turn for the worse and from one, his doctor increased the number of his visits to two daily. His illness seems to be suffering from a general breakdown rather than from any specific complaint.

From a man of strong will and keen understanding it is rumored that he is rapidly changing into a childish old invalid. While he is considered in no immediate danger it is a question whether he will ever recover even a reasonable measure of his former good health again.

FORAKER LEAGUE.

Washington, March 25.—The Foraker National league was organized here to night by colored men representing eight states. An advisory committee headed by Rev. E. W. Lampton of Mississippi, was named to perfect the organization. Oliver Randolph, a clerk in the treasury department, was elected secretary.

SENATOR BRYAN'S FUNERAL.

Jacksonville, Fla., March 25.—The funeral of Senator William J. Bryan took place this afternoon. Prominent men from all over the state gathered to pay a last sad tribute to Bryan's memory.

WILL RE-OPEN PLANT.

St. Louis, March 25.—It was announced to day that Commonwealth Steel company will re-open its plant at Granite City, Ill., next Monday after months of idleness for 1,000 men employed there.

CONGRESSMAN RENOMINATED.

Washington, Ind., March 25.—Representative John C. Chaney, of Sullivan, Ind., renominated by acclamation this afternoon by the second district Republican convention.

GAVE DINNER.

Paris, March 25.—American Ambassador White and Mrs. White gave a brilliant diplomatic and official dinner this evening.

BRIEFS FILED.

Chicago, March 25.—The Standard Oil company of Indiana to day filed in the United States circuit court of appeals the brief of the company in its appeal from the fine of \$29,240,000. The brief is a voluminous document, but presents nothing new in the big legal battle resulting from the government's charges that the company accepted rebates on shipments of oil.

Crushed.

"Brudner Jones, if you didn't smoke, you might own a brick house, like what I does." "Look here, man, don't you come pesterin' wit me like dat. You didn't git dat brick house by no smokin'. You got it by borrowin' mah news-paper to read an' mah clothes to wear an' mah vittles to eat. You may be a fly financier, but dat don't gi you no license to set up fer a human copy book."—Kansas City Independent.

MAN SLUGGED AND ROBBED

LINCOLN MAN RELIEVED OF \$5,000 BY ROBBERS.

Was on His Way to Mines to Pay Off Employees—Two of Robbers Captured After Duel With Officers—Other Escapes.

Bloomington, Ill., March 25.—Frank Frorer, president of the First National bank at Lincoln and of the Lincoln Mining company, was slugged by three men this afternoon while driving to the mines to pay off employees, and robbed of \$5,000. The thieves took Frorer's buggy, drove some distance, divided the loot, separated and escaped.

Two of the Robbers Captured. Peoria, March 25.—Two of the men who to day held up and robbed President Frorer of the Lincoln Mining company at Lincoln, were captured this evening.

Three men in a buggy approached Frorer on the street. Two of them got out of the buggy and jumping into Frorer's, bore him to the ground, emptied the pockets containing the money, threw them into their own buggy, jumped in and started out of the city at a fast clip.

Frorer, who was not seriously injured, returned to his office and notified the police. The sheriff and captain of police pursued the robbers two miles, at which point two of them left the buggy and took to the fields. They were soon discovered and a duel began. Five shots were fired before the two surrendered, but neither was injured. The two men refuse to give their names and so far have not been identified. The third man escaped.

MEET IN SPRINGFIELD.

Democratic Convention Will Be Held April 23.

Chicago, March 25.—The Democratic state convention will be held at Springfield on April 23. County central committees will select or determine the manner of selection of the delegates to the national convention, on lines advocated by William Jennings Bryan. These were the decisions reached by the Democratic state committee at its meeting here to day.

There was a strong undercurrent of hostility manifested when the committee went into session and only after a hard fight the resolutions of Mr. Brennan of Cook county, a Bryan follower, was adopted, giving the county central organizations the right to select their own delegates instead of allowing the state convention to perform that work, as adopted by Roger Sullivan, nationalist committeeman from this state and Bryan's antagonist.

It was determined that the basis for representation in the state convention will be one delegate to every 200 voters or major fractional part thereof cast for Parker and Davis in 1904.

MUST LIMIT POWER.

Jefferson City, Mo., March 25.—The people's remedy, according to Governor Folk, in discussing the recent rate decisions of the United States supreme court, is the enactment by congress of a law to limit the power of the federal courts and prevent the annulment or suspension by these tribunals of the state laws. Governor Folk said an amendment to the constitution may be necessary and should this be the case, he urged the people of the various states to signify the popular will to congress. Governor Folk thinks the railroads will be unable to provide the Missouri will be unable to prove the Missouri two-cent fare law has been confiscated.

TATSU MARU INCIDENT.

Tokio, March 25.—Foreign Minister Hayashi made a statement to day in diet in reference to the Tatsu Maru incident. He said the entire record had not yet been received at the foreign office. He wished to say emphatically that the Chinese central government had shown a friendly attitude to Japan and the desire for continuance of the friendly relations by conceding an ample reparation.

IOWA DEMOCRATS.

Cedar Rapids, Iowa, March 26.—The Democratic state convention to select delegates at large to the national Democratic convention will meet in this city to day (Thursday). At 11 o'clock last night (Wednesday) the state committee refused to change the place of the second state convention from Sioux City for Des Moines and the prospects are the matter will be fought out on the floor of the convention.



RUSSELL'S HEADQUARTERS.
Andrew Russell, candidate for Republican nomination for state treasurer, will have his headquarters at room 6, Leland hotel, Springfield, March 25 and 26. Everybody will be heartily welcome.

See Rodrigues for estimates on wall paper and painting. 230 West Court street.

TO BE MARRIED

Rev. Albert Ewert of Memphis, Mo., was to be married last night to Miss Beard, daughter of a retired farmer of that place. Mr. Ewert's father, Rev. A. L. T. Ewert, formerly pastor of Centenary church in this city was expected to perform the ceremony. They expected to go to Colorado, where Rev. Mr. Ewert has a position.

Wall paper. Martin, Scott Block.

DOWN WITH MUMPS

AND TONSILLITIS.
Rev. J. C. Nate, pastor of Grace M. E. church, is confined to his home on North Church street with an attack of the mumps and tonsillitis. It will be several days before he will be able to resume his work. Ample preparations will be made for the services next Sunday.

CADE'S HORSE SALE.
Attend Cade's sale at Murrayville Saturday. A large number of high class horses will be offered.

HOW TO CURE SKIN DISEASES.

The germs and their poison must be drawn to the surface of the skin and destroyed. Zemo and Zemonite will do this and cure any case of skin or scalp disease, no matter from what cause or how long standing. Write for sample. E. W. Rose Med. Co., St. Louis, Mo. See photos of cures and window or show case display by Armstrongs' drug store.

POLECAT CHANGES CHURCH SERVICE

Preacher as Well as Parishioners Sought Interview With Well Known Animal—Held Sixteen Dogs at Bay.

Jacksonville, N. J., March 25.—This little village is discussing the incident which caused Pastor Hengst, of the Dutch Reformed church, to hold services Sunday in a private home and was responsible for the postponement of Sunday school. Incidentally the villagers are keeping a sharp lookout for a few of their fellow citizens, with a view of giving them a wide berth.

A polecat was the cause of all the trouble. When Janitor Johnson reached the church he found a small black and white animal with a bushy tail occupying the front porch, while sixteen dogs stood in a circle at a respectful distance. Johnson stepped inside the circle a moment, but that was all. The strange animal suddenly got into action and to day other villagers are denying themselves Johnson's company.

Warned by Johnson's fate, Sunday school children, when they arrived late kept at a safe distance. So did members of the congregation when they came. The polecat held his position all day, much to the discomfort of one or two daring village youths, who ventured too close to him to see what a skunk looked like.

Wall paper. Martin, Scott Block.

KICKED BY HORSE.

Jed Cox, the well known auctioneer, had a painful accident yesterday morning. He was breaking a young mule, and had put the animal in the barn and as he was passing out the creature kicked him, striking his left leg and inflicting a bad bruise which will make him walk with a cane for some time to come. It is fortunate that the hurt wasn't worse.

AN ENTHUSIASTIC CUSTOMER

Told her grocer that if he refused to handle "OUR-PIE" Preparation she would trade elsewhere. She knew she could make Lemon. Chocolate and Custard pies better than the expert cook if she used "OUR-PIE" as all the ingredients, carefully prepared, are in the package ready for immediate use. Each package, enough for two large pies, 10 cents. Order a dozen to day from your grocer. Excellent also as a pudding sauce, cake filling, etc.

Seventh annual debate—Illinois vs. Lake Forest. College Gymn. Friday, 8 p. m. Admission, 25 cents.

BASEBALL NEWS

Practice Game Arranged.

L. F. Randall, president of the Baseball association, returned yesterday from a business trip to Galesburg and Peoria. While in Galesburg he met Martin Johnson, who is the phenomenal pitcher that has been signed by Manager Berte. Galesburg is his home and he played independent ball last year. Every evening he has been limbering up and getting his arm in good shape for business. Randall also met his cousin, Harry Randall, who will play the outfield for Jacksonville. Then he met a fellow by the name of Rodeman, another Galesburg boy, is going to give a try out for third base with Burlington. He played last year with Monmouth in independent ball and made good. Harry Randall has been planning a series of games with Knox college; the first game took place yesterday and games will be played Thursday and Friday. These practice games will be valuable for the players and give them a chance to spread themselves. Galesburg is now a member of the Illinois-Missouri league, of which Hannibal is a member. Galesburg has been engaged in raising funds for their organization. The street car company of that place gave them \$700 for the season. Baseball fans at Galesburg were interested in the story of Jacksonville's success in raising their needed baseball fund, most of which was subscribed while snow was on the ground. From the large number of applications that Manager Berte received for admission to the club it shows how popular Jacksonville has become in the baseball world.

Free Ball Game.

The first baseball game of the season can be seen free of charge by looking over the fence in Brennan's display window at their store on South Sandy street. The window has been arranged by Terrance Brennan, and is a work to be proud of. It is a reproduction of a baseball ground with the teams at work. A fleshy policeman, said to resemble "our friend," "Trunks Trahey," is on guard at the gate, and the grand stand and the bleachers are all well filled, the small boys up the trees are there true to life at a ball field where admission is charged, and every little detail is remembered and this window will no doubt set the ball fever to going in many a breast of Young America, while it will be appreciated as well by the older ones.

New Three-I President.

Thomas J. Loftus, who was Tuesday elected president of the Three-I Baseball league, has been identified with baseball, chiefly the major leagues, for more than thirty years.

His first engagement as professional man was in 1876, and the following year he played with the St. Louis Reds, at that time the best team in the west. In 1878 he took charge of the Peoria club as captain, showing remarkable managerial ability. He declined an offer to captain the Cleveland team the following year, retiring from the game until 1883, when he assumed the captaincy of the St. Louis Browns. In 1884 and 1885 he piloted the Milwaukee team, after which he cast his fortunes with the St. Louis Whites and when Von Der Ahe's team disbanded in July, 1888, he took charge of the Cleveland team of the National league. He managed the Cincinnati Reds during 1890, after which he dropped out of the game until 1896, when he secured the Columbus franchise of the Western league. In 1897 he captained the Dubuque team, which won the first Northwest league championship. In 1899, he was made manager of the Chicago Nationals and succeeded in smoothing out the cliques in that organization which threatened to disrupt it. Later he managed the Washington Americans and still later managed an Iowa team. His work in all capacities has been of high order. He is an exceptional leader and manager of men, getting their best service willingly. He is fortunate in eliminating jealousies and bringing out good team work. He knows every ball player in the country, and enjoys their respect and confidence. It is freely predicted that he will quickly smooth out all difficulties in the Three-I and bring the organization up to its former high plane.

Illinois, 15; Brown's, 5.

Illinois college defeated Brown's Business college in a six-inning game yesterday afternoon, by a score of 15 to 5. For five innings Frank held the embryo merchants in the hollow of his hand, and blanketed them without a hit. In the sixth, with two out, the Illinois team, under the leadership of Phillips, started a farce comedy. When the curtain was finally rung down upon the woeful exhibition of ludicrously attempted baseball, five of the future captains of industry had crossed the pan. Aside from this inning Illinois played good ball, Phillips pulling off an especially sensational catch. Nunes pitched a good game and Adair an pitched a good game, and Adair, an Illinois boy, caught for the Business college.

Friday afternoon the collegians will play the high school. The summary:

R. H. E.
Brown's 5 3 7
Illinois college 15 11 4
Batteries—Nunes & Adair; Frank and Butler.
Umpires—Harris and Graff.

Spring Styles

and

"Boland" Quality



If you're "style wise" nothing could give you greater satisfaction than half an hour in Boland's. We believe you'd confirm the wisdom of our selection. Our display is comprehensive. All the good new style and fabrics in brown, tan, grays, dozens of fascinating shades, variations, which must be seen to be appreciated.

Words might describe the styles after a fashion, but cold type never could do either styles or quality half justice even. They're "Boland" quality." That means a little better than your money ought to buy; a good deal better than it will buy elsewhere.

Overcoats, the long rainproof sort in abundance. Three-quarter lengths too. Pick your own color and price.

Suits. Choice unlimited. We add to the quality and subtract from the price.

Result: Better for your money. Come, see.

Hats and Furnishings galore. This display alone is worth considerable trouble to see.

It's right if Boland sold it

BOLAND'S

PHILIPS & OSBORNE

Commencement

And Class Day Dresses

Are very easily selected from our splendid showing of dainty materials, purchased specially for these annual events.

We mention specially for commencement dresses.

Mercerized Chiffons... 25c, 35c, 50c

Lingerie Batiste..... 40c, 50c

French Lawns..... 25c to 80c

Persian Lawns..... 25c to 80c

Embroidered Swisses... 25c, 35c, 50c

The colored materials for class day dresses embrace a wide range of materials in Tissues, mulls, etc., and the color range is very comprehensive. Priced from 25c to 59c.

Dresses Made of Paper

are now being exhibited in our show window. These represent styles that can be made by the celebrated Butterick Patterns. All of the styles on display can be had in our pattern department. The designs are new and represent many of the latest Paris ideas.

The splendid features of these patterns are
Each piece is numbered. The number tells what each piece is. Butterick Patterns are easiest to handle. No mislaid parts. No guess work. No wrong matching. No puzzling what to do next. 10c and 15c, none higher.

Try a Kaumagraph

and see how easy and economical it is to do your own stamping. Saves dollars to needleworkers. Easy to do—merely the pressure of a hot iron. Kaumagraph Patterns are 10 cents, none higher. New Kaumagraph patterns appear monthly "The Delineator" and in the Butterick Fashion Sheet.

DO YOUR OWN STAMPING.

The New Spring Suits are Here In Splendid Array

Pretty butterfly styles, the new Merry Widow Suits, jaunty short coats in the plainer tailored styles; in fact all of the newest models, as well as some adaptations of the classic Greek styles.

The materials are the finest imported novelties, as well as Volles, Panamas, Serges, Broadcloths, etc. Prices range from \$15 to \$80.



NECTAR COFFEE

Nuf Said.

Haxby Sells It.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.
Janie Allen to Ella Barrick lot No. 13 in D. A. Sevier's sub. div. to Waverly, \$1,200.

Ella Barrick and Edward Barrick to George R. Morris, same, \$1,300
Daniel A. Sevier to Adam W. Large metes and bounds, \$3,500.

See Bond for estimates on painting. Ill. phone 1448.

MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED.
Cards have been received announcing the marriage of Clyde Lewis Vickery and Miss Amy Louise Ellis at the Monroe Street Christian church, Chicago, May 5, 1907. At home, 3920 Prairie avenue. Mr. Vickery is employed by Swift & Co. as car accountant.

LOW RATES TO PACIFIC COAST.
Every day from March 1 to April 30 the Chicago & Alton will sell one way second class colonist tickets at rate of \$25.50 to San Francisco, Los Angeles and San Diego, Calif., Phoenix, Ariz., and Guymas, Mex., Portland, Ore., Tacoma and Seattle, Wash., Victoria and Vancouver, B. C., and to many other points in the west and northwest. For further particulars call on or address:

D. C. Dittz,
Ticket Agent, C. & A. R. R.

\$1,000.00

For Any Substance Injurious to Health Found In

Calumet Baking Powder

"Best By Test"

The Only High Grade Baking Powder Sold at a Moderate Price.

Complies with all STATE and NATIONAL Pure Food Laws.

All Grocers Are Authorized to Guarantee This

Read the Journal



Good as Gold

and as unvarying in its hold on the public confidence is the product of our mills. The family flour par excellence; like gold it has created a standard of its own. Make delicious and wholesome bread, and economical in baking. Goes farther and is better than any other flour. Low priced, high grade—the best. Our popular White Lily flour can not be improved upon. For sale by all grocers. Manufactured by

Henehan & Cain,

501 S. Main St. Both phones 240.

Pure Foods

Economically Priced

6 boxes oil sardines	25c
3 boxes mustard sardines	25c
3 cans peas	25c
3 lbs. lima beans	25c
2 lbs. "Golden Rio" coffee	25c
1 doz. nice naval oranges	30c
2 boxes corn starch	15c
3 boxes currants	25c
2 boxes grapefruit	25c
3 lbs. Egg-o-See	25c

SILAS HUGHETT

The Bargain Grocer

Opposite Second Ward school, 111
Phone 129; Bell Phone, 747.

BUGGY GOODS

See Our Stock of

Sponges, Chamois and Dusters

Before Making Your Spring
Purchase

**Best Quality,
Lowest Prices**

We can save you money

Castor Oil

In the BEST and cheapest
Buggy Oil.

25c a Pint

Coover & Shreve's

DRUG STORE

City and County

F. L. Ledford has gone to the river duck hunting.

Mrs. M. L. Crum was over from Virginia yesterday.

Mrs. G. H. Nergenhof of Chapin was a city shopper yesterday.

James Johnson was a visitor here yesterday from Arcadia.

Good specked apples 75c per bushel at Swift & Co.

W. J. Young went to St. Louis yesterday on a business trip.

Mrs. F. L. Doyle was a city visitor from Roodhouse yesterday.

Miss Irene McAvoy is ill at her home on East North street.

James Johnson of Arcadia precinct was down to the city yesterday.

Mount Andrews has gone to Peoria and Mattoon on a business trip.

J. B. Menke of Quincy was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

W. E. McClanahan of Aurora was in the city Wednesday on business.

Samuel Heaton of Lynnville was in the city yesterday on business.

Mrs. E. Coultas of Winchester was among those in the city yesterday.

Fred Rook of Woodson was calling on friends in the city Wednesday.

Dr. O. Meyer and wife of Arcadia were visiting in the city yesterday.

David H. Shrewsbury has gone to Markham for a visit of a few days.

Miss Louise Angier of Virginia was calling on city friends yesterday.

Jack Still and wife of Murrayville were in the city Wednesday shopping.

Sylvanus Scott and wife represented Franklin in the city Wednesday.

L. K. McConnell of Springfield represented that city here Wednesday.

L. L. Sweltzer of Buckhorn was in the city yesterday on business interests.

William Thies of Markham was a Jacksonville business caller yesterday.

James McMillen of Litterberry was in the city yesterday enroute to Meredosia.

Ed Young of Orleans spent Wednesday in the city on business interests.

A. J. Zallee returned Tuesday evening from a business trip to St. Louis.

T. O. Graves and wife of Markham were in the city shopping Wednesday.

Frank Lovell of Litterberry was transacting business in the city Wednesday.

Robert Mason of Winchester was looking after affairs in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Crum of Litterberry were visitors in the city yesterday.

Miss Clara Beard of Concord was shopping with city merchants yesterday.

Mrs. Ernest Strawn of Alexander was visiting Jacksonville friends yesterday.

M. J. Carey of Litterberry spent Wednesday in the city on business interests.

T. W. Watson of Peoria was shaking hands with his friends in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pullam Seymour of Franklin were visitors in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Larson and daughter Mary were down our way from Ashland yesterday.

Charles Harmon and sister, Miss Catharine, were both in from Franklin yesterday.

Joseph Rouark and wife were shopping in the city yesterday from Winchester.

John Hallig of Litterberry was among the business visitors in the city Wednesday.

Miss Elizabeth Coultas of Winchester was calling upon friends in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Clark of the Bend neighborhood were visiting in the city Wednesday.

Henry W. English and family have moved from 126 Diamond court to 825 West North street.

T. H. Jewsbury and wife of Markham were in the city yesterday calling upon the merchants.

Esq. James Shelton of Woodson was among the Jacksonville business callers in the city yesterday.

Sylvester Meek and wife of Carlinville are visiting their son, F. J. Meek and family of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hall and Mrs. Ruth Duran of Pittsfield, who is a guest at the Hall home, were among the Jacksonville visitors Wednesday.

Miss Edna Taylor, a popular young lady of Chapin, was a city shopper yesterday.

Frank Lohman and wife made a trip yesterday to Mr. Lohman's farm in the vicinity of Roodhouse.

Louis Frank, the popular dry goods merchant, has returned from a purchasing trip to Chicago.

Miss Lois Frost, a well-known and popular young lady of Winchester, was trading in the city yesterday.

W. W. Watts, manager of the Bijou, went to Chicago last night on business connected with this theater.

If you want money bring your poultry and eggs to 211 South West street. Phones: Bell, 635; Ill. 396.

George C. Guthrie and wife have returned from a visit with Mr. Guthrie's sister, Mrs. Boots of St. Louis.

J. W. Woods was expected home last evening from St. Louis where he has been for several days on business.

Miss Dolly Roberts, bookkeeper for the firm of Montgomery & Deppe, is kept from her duty because of illness.

Mrs. John Eilers and daughter, Miss Letha, both residents of the village of Chapin, were trading in town yesterday.

Mrs. E. F. Funk is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ernest Strawn of Alexander, and came to the city with her yesterday.

David Lockman of Buckhorn, who has just returned from a trip through Texas was in the city yesterday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Rusk were hastily summoned to Vincennes, Ind., by the serious illness of Mrs. Rusk's mother, Mrs. Sawyer.

M. J. Hill of Murrayville, who is conducting the singing at the revival service there was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

W. A. Ludlum of the Old Soldiers' home at Quincy arrived in the city yesterday for a visit with his daughter, Mrs. W. B. Goldsby.

Mrs. John Gibbs and Miss Letitia Tankersley, both of Winchester, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Gibbs' daughter, Mrs. S. W. Babbs of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Morrissey of East Court street are preparing their household goods for shipment to McCook, Neb., where they expect to reside.

Austin Carter has been summoned to Chicago to meet the Wisconsin and Illinois members of the management of the colored Odd Fellows home Saturday.

Rev. J. L. Wylder went to Jerseyville yesterday morning at the urgent request of former friends to assist in protracted meetings being carried on at that place.

Joseph Tomlinson has returned from Battle Creek, Mich., where he has been for several weeks seeking relief from lameness in his knee and returns considerably improved.

Percy Capps has returned from the vicinity of Wilcox lake laden with a good number of trophies, evidence of his skill as a marksman and hunter of wild ducks. His friends who are helping him eat the results of the chase hope he will go frequently.

J. R. Henry of Woodson was a Jacksonville visitor Wednesday. Mr. Henry stated that he had received a letter from his two brothers, Charles E. and S. W. Henry, who are at Hot Springs, Ark., for their health. They have rented a cottage and state that they are much improved in health which will be welcome news to their friends.

Did you ever see such a March as this? F. K. Kitchener, in the affirmative and cites the third month of 1868 when he sowed oats and did spring work mostly through the whole month. April wasn't bad, either, which may be some consolation, but they first of May heavy rain came and was followed by others so that for twenty days little work was done on the farm.

Carpet cleaning, Moore Rug Co.

LIVERY OUTFIT SALE.

Saturday, March 28th, at one p. m., J. L. Rutherford will sell at auction at his barn on North Main street, near the opera house, his entire livery outfit, consisting of light and heavy harness, runabouts, buggies, phaetons, closed carriages, sleds, sleighs, surreys, baggage wagons, three busses, blankets, robes, whips, office furniture and fifteen horses. Four of these are especially good for family use and afraid of nothing.

Now's the time to take Rocky Mountain Tea. It drives out the germs of winter, builds up the stomach, kidneys and liver. The most wonderful spring tonic to make people well. You'll be surprised with results. 35c, Tea or Tablets. Armstrong's drug store.

Royal fence. Gay's Hardware.

BRAKEMAN MEETS INSTANT DEATH

Well Known Chicago & Alton Employee Fell From Car at Stanford—Jury Renders Verdict.

A. L. McKown, of Roodhouse, a Chicago & Alton brakeman on this division, was found dead underneath a car at Stanford, eight miles south of Bloomington, Tuesday evening with his neck broken. McKown was one of the crew of the first section of east bound freight No. 88, which arrived in this city at 1:35 p. m. He had evidently met instant death, but the exact manner in which he came to be under the car is not known. The train had sidetracked at Stanford to set in a car and it is thought that he fell from the car when it jolted. The train crew fixed up the train and went on to Bloomington, reaching there before they noticed the loss of their brakeman. Word was at once telegraphed all along the line to look for McKown, and he was found at the switch where the car had been set in. His body was picked up by second 88 and brought to Bloomington. Outside of minor abrasions on arm and knee, the body of the dead man was not disfigured. An examination of the vertebrae of the neck showed that it was broken.

The Verdict.

In rendering its verdict the jury did not hold the railroad company responsible for the death of McKown, neither did it release the corporation entirely. The substance of the verdict: "We, the jury, impanel to inquire into the death of A. L. McKown and that he came to his death by having his neck broken at Stanford, Ill., on train No. 88 on the Chicago & Alton railroad while in line of his duty." The jurors were: D. S. Tuohy, David Hayes, Col. J. T. Thornton, W. T. Toohy, Thomas P. Maloney, M. L. Baird.

A Young Man.

A. L. McKown was a young, clean built fellow of about 30 years. He had been with the Alton for four years and more and was an experienced railroad man. He was unmarried and leaves a sister at Roodhouse. His mother resides at Altona. It will probably never be known just how he met his death, although the most probable supposition would seem to be that he lost his footing and fell underneath the car on which he had been working.

Everything in the line of wall paper and painting at Rodrigues', 230 West Court street.

BIRTHDAY TEA.

Yesterday afternoon the Young Ladies' Missionary society of the State Street Presbyterian church gave a birthday tea at the home of Miss Margaret Widenham on West College avenue. Miss Mary D. Taylor of De Witt, Iowa, sang very beautifully. The following members of the society, whose birthday have occurred since last month, were the hostesses: Mrs. William Floeth, Mrs. T. M. Tomlinson, Mrs. Henry Goebel, Mrs. H. S. Ayers, Miss Manye Cunningham and Miss Margaret Widenham. Each member of the society brought a guest and a very enjoyable afternoon was spent by all.

NOTICE.

All persons having accounts against the Young Men's Christian association are requested to render a bill for same at once, if one has not already been rendered.

JUSTICES' COURTS.

In the case of the People vs. Edmunds which came up for preliminary trial yesterday in Squire Dyer's court; the defendant was discharged on account of the evidence not being sufficient to bind him over. Barnes & Bellatti appeared for the defendant and W. N. Hargrove for the complainant. This trial has been "hanging fire" for about a month on account of the witnesses being quarantined at the Central Hospital for the Insane.

K. OF P. NO. 376.

Work in rank of Knight this evening followed by banquet.
J. A. Rawlings, C. C.
C. E. Seymour, K. of R. & S.

Seventh annual debate—Illinois vs. Lake Forest. College Gym. Friday, 8 p. m. Admission, 25 cents.

SINGLE COMB WHITE LEGHORN AND WHITE WYANDOTTES.

A limited number of settings for sale from pens mated to produce heavy winter layers. White Haven Farm. Ill. phone 0151.

Calls Lincoln Pastor.

Pittsfield—Rev. W. H. Cannon of Lincoln has been called to the pastorate of the Christian church in this city. He is a native of this county. Rev. W. E. Spicer recently resigned to accept the pastorate of a church in Arizona.

Rug weaving. Moore Rug Co.

ECZEMA AND ALL SKIN DISEASES Are quickly cured by Zemo, a clean liquid for external use.

Zemo's record has never been equaled. Mr. Armstrong, the druggist, says "Zemo is the best remedy he has ever sold for the cure of Piles, Eczema, Dandruff, Ringworm, Tetter, Rashes, Prickly Heat, and any disease of the skin caused by a germ. See display and photos of cures made by Zemo."



EMBROIDERIES

HERE is something distinctive in Embroideries, at least in our line, which is now on display. It includes many novelties which are exclusive. Quite the most complete as to assortment and price that we have ever shown and we believe that after an inspection of it you will feel repaid.

This new spring line is on display this week.

Under Present Conditions

Many prudent people will have their old pianos overhauled instead of buying a new one. THE TIME IS NOW, before the rush of spring work begins. THE PLACE our shop. Our entire third floor is devoted to repairing and refinishing pianos and organs, making piano benches, &c. We have first class tools and appliances and a stock of all materials required for such work. The expert Workmen employed by us have been with us for years and are in every way reliable. We guarantee their work and our prices are reasonable. We will be glad to make an estimate for you. Orders for tuning attended to promptly and thoroughly. Both phones 145.

W. T. Brown Piano Co.

WE SELL A FIRST CLASS CLEANING POLISH FOR
PIANOS AND FURNITURE

New Things to Wear for Men who Care

New Suitings

The new tan shades in exclusive patterns as shown by us, are very beautiful materials, and, made up right, are most becoming to almost every man. \$35 and up.

New Shirts

Shirts: Never before have we shown the variety and quality as this season. \$1.00 and up.

New Hats

Dunlap Hats and many other makes in newest shapes and colors

31 South Side Square

A. WEIHL

TAILOR AND HABERDASHER

IF YOU THINK a minute you will realize that as many people see your back as your front. The cut of your coat, the way it fits the back. You can't see it yourself, but a lot of other people can.

T. M. TOMLINSON

Home of Hart Schaffner and Marx

Clothes



Schram

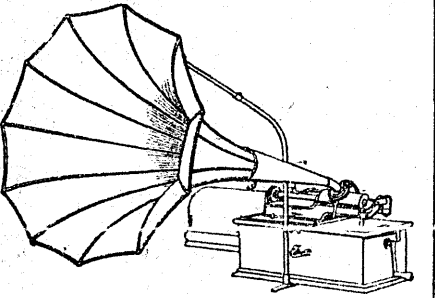
JEWELER

If an approaching wedding or birthday finds you unprepared, we invite you to pay our store a visit.

Schram

JEWELER

Sheet Music,
Musical Merchandise
Musical Instruments



Phonographs
and Records

Brown's
Music Store

BIG SNAPS
For This Week Only at
P.J. Shanahan's

GROCERY

Fruit cake, 15c per lb, 2 lbs. for 25c
Vanilla Wafers, 15c a lb. 2 lbs for 25c
Date bars, 15c a lb. 2 lbs for 25c
Fig bars, 15c a lb. 2 lbs for 25c
Nuggets cookies, 5c per bowl 25c per pound.

REMEMBER

Both Phones, Opposite
Pacific Hotel

COMPLETE
Inverted Gas Lights
For 75c



BERNARD GAUSE
225 East State St. Phone 118.

CITY AND COUNTY

BULK GARDEN SEED AT HEINL'S.
Miss Lola Biggs is visiting in Bluffs.

W. Barkly and R. G. Crum of Virginia were in the city yesterday.
BULK GARDEN SEED AT HEINL'S.

Miss Anna M. Reid was called to Indianapolis, Ind., yesterday by the serious illness of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Arthur C. Reid.

The Young Ladies' Foreign Missionary society of Grace M. E. church will hold a sale of fancy articles and aprons April 14 and a market April 18th.

Miss Nelle Nimmelly has resigned her position with Herman's millinery and will start to Denver in a few days with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Spires.

BULK GARDEN SEED AT HEINL'S.

Mrs. A. L. Hamilton of Waverly was shopping in the city yesterday.

Ferdinand Nuse returned yesterday from a two days' visit in Peoria.

Mrs. J. H. Vadakin of Bethany was among the city shoppers in the city Wednesday.

L. Trainer and W. J. Harris were business visitors in the city yesterday from Beardstown.

Misses Nina and Dean Obermeyer returned yesterday from a visit with friends and relatives in Winchester.

Carpet cleaning and feathers renovated. Morgan Carpet Cleaning Co., R. M. Edickbrock, Prop. Ill. phone, 448; Bell, 232.

Rug cleaning. Moore Rug Co.

PUPILS RECITAL.

Miss Ruby Ryan, pupil of Mr. Stead, will give her senior piano recital this afternoon at 4:15 in the Music hall at Woman's college. The public is invited.

BULK GARDEN SEED AT HEINL'S.



This woman says Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound saved her life. Read her letter.

Mrs. T. C. Willadsen, of Manning, Iowa, writes to Mrs. Pinkham:

"I can truly say that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound saved my life, and I cannot express my gratitude to you in words. For years I suffered with the worst form of female complaints, continually doctoring and spending lots of money for medicine without help. I wrote you for advice, followed it as directed, and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it has restored me to perfect health. Had it not been for you I should have been in my grave to-day. I wish every suffering woman would try it."

FACTS FOR SICK WOMEN.

For thirty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, has been the standard remedy for female ills, and has positively cured thousands of women who have been troubled with displacements, inflammation, ulceration, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, that bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, dizziness, or nervous prostration. Why don't you try it?

Mrs. Pinkham invites all sick women to write her for advice. She has guided thousands to health. Address, Lynn, Mass.

MR. FRANK LOWEST BIDDER.

Jacksonville Contractor Will Do Paving Job at Pinckneyville.

A. F. Frank, the well known paving contractor, returned yesterday from southern Illinois where he has been on business for several days. Bids were opened at Pinckneyville Tuesday for twelve blocks of paving work there. Mr. Frank was the lowest bidder and it is expected that the contract will be awarded to him next Friday when the board of local improvement will meet. Pinckneyville is a comparatively small town, about 2,500 inhabitants, but the people are determined to have their streets paved. The bids and bidders were as follows:

Wolf, Moffett & Curtz, Alton, \$22,585.16.

Troy Porte, Paris, \$22,058.75.

W. H. Hill, East St. Louis, \$21,990.10.

W. D. Whitsell, Mt. Vernon, \$24,992.95.

Collins & Manning, Mt. Vernon, \$26,973.95.

A. F. Frank, Jacksonville, \$21,890.49.

CRIMSON RAMBLER ROSES AT HEINL'S.

OPEN LETTER FROM THE MAYOR

Editor of the Journal.—Some people seem to think that the mayor has power to do everything. Some people complain that a dog barks every evening and they are tired of his barking. My advice to them is not to feed him so strong and when he gets tired he will quit himself. Then others complain that there is a Jack braying every evening. My only advice to them is to let him bray. He has not been here long from Missouri or Kentucky and I think when he gets acclimated he may quit braying. Then there are some people who complain of a calf bawling every evening. My remedy for that is to give the calf more rope and he will hang himself. The calf is badly tangled up now.

C. H. Widmayer, Mayor.

Seventh annual debate—Illinois vs. Lake Forest, College Gymn. Friday, 8 p. m. Admission, 25 cents.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

The Men's Bible class, which meets Thursday evening is postponed until next week on account of the absence of Rev. Mr. Marsh, the teacher. The high school class, which meets on Friday night, will be held as usual. Supper at the usual hour, 6:15. A Boosters' club was organized Tuesday night, which we think will be very valuable aid to the association and its work. We will not say much about the Boosters' club just now, but feel sure that it will spring into the lime light and show something doing after it gets firmly organized and in running order. When a bunch of earnest young men get behind anything it is sure to go if such a thing is possible.

CRIMSON RAMBLER ROSES AT HEINL'S.

ENJOYED DANCE.

About thirty young couple enjoyed a dance at Piepenbring's hall Wednesday evening. The dance was gotten up by Warren Case and Demotte Gates and was given by the young men complimentary to the leap year dance given recently by some of the young ladies. Dancing was enjoyed until a late hour to the excellent music furnished by the Osborne-Drake orchestra and the function was a most enjoyable one.

Wall paper. Martin, Scott Block.

CONSERVATORY RECITAL.

The pupils of Miss Mathews, assisted by the pupils of Mr. Haberkorn and by the pupils of Mr. Oberndorfer, will give a public recital at the Academy hall this evening at 8 o'clock.

Hercules flour, at all groceries, \$1.45.

HERMAN'S GRAND OPENING

HUNDREDS THROUG POPULAR MILLINERY AND CLOAK HOUSE.

Handsone Exhibition of Women's Wearing Apparel Equaled That of Metropolitan Centers—"The Merry Widow" Hat a Favorite—Music by Jeffries' Orchestra.

"Well, wasn't it just simply grand," were the words that dropped from the lips of the hundreds of visitors Wednesday, who thronged the largest and most reliable cloak, suit and millinery house in Central Illinois—Herman's.

Early in the day the visitors began to arrive and up until a late hour the crowds kept coming and many made the second visit, so charmed were they by the magnificence and beauty of the occasion, which was greatly enhanced by the unique program of musical numbers, both sacred and popular, rendered by Jeffries' superb orchestra.

Not only were the articles on display of the finest character, but the arrangement was in perfect keeping with the day and it was a treat of itself to stand for a moment and see the expressions of surprise and ecstasy that took possession of the countenances of every one.

It is no exaggeration when stated that one rarely sees on exhibition in the metropolitan centers more elegant creations of suits, cloaks and millinery than were on display yesterday. The magnitude shown the progressive ideas brought to the surface, the originality of design, the bower of beautiful and lovely wearing apparel strongly appealed to the lady of every-sized allowance.

The millinery department of this establishment was a favorite one for the ladies, especially at this time of the season. Here they were surprised to find that many styles were characteristic of the spring months. The hats this year have decidedly the quality which has made so popular a comic opera heroine, "The Merry Widow," the sensation of the season; they are bewildering and also alluring. "The Merry Widow" sailor, a jaunty heart capturing sailor, which graciously promises to lend distinction to the most informal toilette is perhaps the only prevailing style. Its wide brim, slightly rolled, with a wealth of brightly colored, smiling roses oftentimes adorning its summit, affords a costume most attractive. The croche hat, which is more elaborate, being more of a dress hat, wins the fancy by its bell shaped crown, its straw buckle and Tuscan braid. And so one could go on and one describing this department, how that flowers are more abundant, this spring than ever before, with plumes continuing to be popular, all of which are greatly increased loveliness of the originality which is so prominent a part in this department.

And what can be said of the cloak department. Only those who visited the store yesterday can have any adequate idea. Mr. Herman, the proprietor, has been in the east studying the styles that give snap and vim to appearance. These new suits are of the semi-tailored styles and most pronounced and elegant creations yet shown in Jacksonville. Handsome volles in lavender, light blue, navy blue, pink and greys. These suits are exquisitely trimmed with imported embroidery and applique fillet and are, by far, the handsomest garments ever exhibited by any firm of similar kind. Only a year and a half ago Mr. Herman started a suit department and one can scarcely believe to what proportions it has grown.

One of the many things that attracted the visitors yesterday was the kind treatment given on every hand. The entire clerical force were not at "their best," so to speak, but just gave a sample of their manner of treating everyone on whom they have the pleasure of waiting each passing day. They were painstaking in their efforts to show the qualities that make the goods attractive and the pleasing personalities lent no little charm to the guests.

Beautiful carnations and other potted plants were in evidence on every hand. Especial mention should be made of the wonderful and attractive manner in which the front window was decorated. It was really a creation of science and beauty, such as would not soon fade from the memory of the most exacting and critical.

Mr. Herman has just reason to feel proud of his exhibition yesterday. It showed what close application to business principles will produce. For eighteen years Mr. Herman has been a merchant of Jacksonville and each year he has had the pleasure and satisfaction of seeing his establishment grow in magnitude and importance, until to day it has no peer. His wife has also been of invaluable assistance in every department and her timely suggestions and keen sense of fitness has added no little merits to the work.

It is safe to predict as the years come and go that the same principles which have predominated this popular resort for ladies of fashion will abide and enlarge.



Two popular styles of popular priced Skirts are shown here

All the skill which the workshop of Worth exercises in producing the graceful "shape and hang" of its costliest models is available and brought to bear on these, its least expensive ones. You are assured authoritative styles and correct fabric in the Worth skirts we offer, no matter how small the amount you pay.

English Panama, black, blue and brown, \$5.00 and \$7.50

All the new styles shown in Voiles, Chiffon, Panamas, fancy mixtures, \$10, \$12.50 and \$15

For This Week

Some great values in Shirt Waists, Silk Petticoats and Muslin Underwear.

WASH GOODS—Now is the time to get the choice of the season's production
Edgish Poplins, Mercerized,
Black, navy blue, tan, brown, cream, champagne and Copenhagen blue, 25c yd.
Susine Silk—The new fabric for evening gowns. Copenhagen blue and apricot, 50c yard.

Figured Batistes—50 patterns, this week 10c yard.

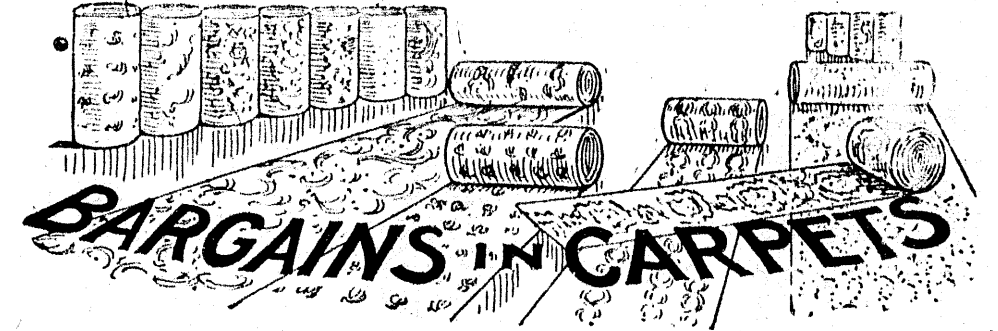
Linen in all colors, mercerized, 40c and 50c yard.

French Ginghams—Extra wide, all the staple checks and fancies, 25c yard.

All colors in imported Voiles, 25c.

A new lot of the spring style books just received.

Montgomery & Deppe



House-Cleaning Time is Here.

We are ready for it—Are you?

Our line of Carpets, Rugs, Mattings, Lace Curtains, Shades, Draperies and Furniture is complete. Prices and quality that will please you.

Every Day is Bargain Day.

All Wool Ingrains from 50c up.
Extra All Wool Filling, C. Chain 62½c and 65c.
Close-woven 3-ply Extra Heavy All Wool \$1 00.
Tapestries, Velvets and Axminsters 75c to \$1 65.
9 by 11 Heavy Tap Rug \$11.95.
9 by 12 Rugs, Choice Patterns, from \$15.00 to \$75.00.

Come in and we will convince you that you can save money by buying of us.

JOHNSON, HACKETT & GUTHRIE.
East Side House Furnishers Jacksonville, Illinois
25 Majestic ranges sold last week.

The Latest

"MIRAGE"

The Fashion

Mirage Silk. The season's success—style, beauty and service. Will not wear fuzzy or lose its sheen. Fashion says Mirage is the thing. 24 inches wide, \$1.35 per yard.

Messalines in all the popular colors. The most serviceable fabric for the price, \$1.00 per yard.

Foulards in the newest styles, direct from fashion's center. 55c to \$1.00 per yard.

Pongee, plain white and plain black; heavy as taffeta; a yard wide. \$1.00 per yard.



Pongee Silks, the new colors in plain and block check patterns. 27 inches wide, 75 per yard.

Punjab Silks for waists and linings. All colors, 24 inches wide, 50c per yard.

Fancy Silks for waists; plain colors, plaids, checks, figures, and all the new styles; 20 to 24 inches wide; 55 to \$1.50 per yard.

Black Taffetas Special values at 69c, \$1 00, \$1 19, \$1.25, \$1 35, and \$1.50; 36 inch widths and fine wearing weaves. Our taffetas are remarkable values.

Silks F. J. WADDELL & CO. Silks

OXFORDS

If you do not wear Oxfords this season you'll miss an ocean of real summer comfort. This will be the greatest Oxford season ever known and we have made great provision for it. There's not a worthy Oxford style in any good leather that we are not showing

We've Oxfords for Everybody

Men's Oxfords

Button style, Blucher style, ties and the new buckle Oxford. Patent colt, kid, vici, etc. Handsome styles in new tans.

Women's Oxfords

Button, lace, Blucher cut and the new Colonials. Handsome pumps and slippers. Choice leathers in black and the new shades of tan.

Children's Oxfords. We've Oxfords, ties and slippers for boys and girls of all ages. Blacks and tans. We can fit every foot perfectly: we are experts at fitting.

There will be no slipping, or gaping, or any other Oxford troubles with the Oxfords we sell.

BRADY & REAUGH
THE HOME OF GOOD SHOES



PRESIDENT ASKS SOME NEW LAWS

**Calls on Congress to Get
Busy on Certain
Legislation.**

SAYS THERE IS AMPLE TIME

**First Calls for a Model Statute
on Child Labor.**

EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY IS NEXT

**Wants Injunctions Limited, the Inter-
state Commerce and Antitrust
Laws Amended, and Pre-
paration for Tariff
Revision.**

Washington, March 25.—The follow-
ing message from the president has
been sent to the senate and house:
To the Senate and House of Represent-
atives:

I call your attention to certain mea-
sures as to which I think there should
be action by the congress before the
close of the present session. There is
ample time for their consideration. As
regards most, if not all, of the matters
bills have been introduced into one or
the other of the two houses, and it is
not too much to hope that action will
be taken one way or the other on these
bills at the present session. In my
message at the opening of the present
session, and, indeed, in various mes-
sages to previous congresses, I have
repeatedly suggested action on most of
these measures.

Prohibition of Child Labor First.
Child labor should be prohibited
throughout the nation. At least a model
child labor bill should be passed for the
District of Columbia. It is unfortunate
that in the one place solely dependent
upon congress for its legislation there
should be no law whatever to protect
children by forbidding or regulating
their labor.

Liability for Employers of Labor.
I renew my recommendation for the
immediate enactment of an employ-
ers' liability law, drawn to conform to
the recent decision of the supreme
court. Within the limits indicated by
the court the law should be made thor-
ough and comprehensive, and the pro-
tection it affords should embrace every
class of employee to which the power of
the congress can extend. In addition to
a liability law protecting the employee
or common carrier, the government
should show its good faith by enacting
a further law giving compensation to
its own employees for injury or death
incurred in its service.

Would Limit the Injunction.
I also urge that action be taken
along the line of the recommendation
I have already made concerning in-
junctions in labor disputes. No tempo-
rary restraining order should be issued
by any court without notice; and the
petition for a permanent injunction
upon which such temporary restraining
order has been issued should be heard
by the court issuing the same within a
reasonable time—say not to exceed
a week, or thereabouts, from the date
when the order was issued. It is worth
considering whether it would not give
greater popular confidence in the im-
partiality of sentences for contempt if
it was required that the issue should
be decided by another judge than the
one issuing the injunction, except
where the contempt is committed in the
presence of the court, or in other case
of urgency.

COMBINATIONS ARE NECESSARY

**Therefore the Interstate Commerce
and Antitrust Laws Need Change.**

I again call attention to the urgent
need of amending the interstate com-
merce law, and especially the antitrust
law, along the lines indicated in my
last message. The interstate commerce
law should be amended so as to give
railroads the right to make traffic
agreements, subject to these agree-
ments being approved by the interstate
commerce commission and published in
all of their details. The commission
should also be given the power to
make public and to pass upon the is-
sue of all securities hereafter is-
sued by railroads doing an interstate
commerce business.

A law should be passed providing
in effect that when a federal court de-
termines to place a common carrier or
other public utility under the control
of a receivership the attorney gen-
eral shall have the right to nomi-
nate at least one of the receivers; or
else in some other way the interests
of the stockholders should be con-
sulted, so that the management may not
be wholly redelivered to the man or
men the failure of whose policy may
have necessitated the creation of the
receivership. Receiverships should be
used, not to operate roads but as speed-
ily as possible to pay their debts and
return them to the proper owners.

In addition to the reasons I have
already urged on your attention it has
now become important that there
should be an amendment of the anti-
trust law, because of the uncertainty
as to how this law affects combina-
tions among labor men and farmers, if
the combination has any tendency to
restrict interstate commerce. All of
these combinations, if and while exist-

ing for and engaged in the promotion
of innocent and proper purposes, should
be recognized as legal.
As I have repeatedly pointed out
this antitrust law was a most unwise-
ly drawn statute. It was perhaps in-
evitable that in feeling after the right
remedy the first attempts to provide
such should be crude; and it was ab-
solutely imperative that some legisla-
tion should be passed to control, in
the interest of the public, the business
use of the enormous aggregations of
corporate wealth that are so marked
a feature of the modern industrial
world.

In the modern industrial world com-
binations are absolutely necessary;
they are necessary among business
men, they are necessary among labor-
ing men, they are becoming more and
more necessary among farmers. Some
of these combinations are among the
most powerful of all instruments for
wrong-doing. Others offer the only ef-
fective way of meeting actual busi-
ness needs. It is mischievous and un-
wholesome to keep upon the statute
books unmodified a law, like the anti-
trust law, which, while in practice only
partially effective against various com-
binations, has nevertheless in theory
been construed so sweepingly to pro-
hibit every combination for the trans-
action of modern business. Some real
good has resulted from this law. But
the time has come when it is impera-
tive to modify it.

CHANGES DEEMED NECESSARY

**President Outlines What He Thinks
Should Be Done.**

It has now become uncertain how
far this law may involve all labor or-
ganizations and farmers' organiza-
tions, as well as all business organiza-
tions, in conflict with the law; or, if
we secure literal compliance with the
law, how far it may result in the de-
struction of the organizations neces-
sary for the transaction of modern
business, as well as of all labor or-
ganizations and farmers' organiza-
tions, completely check the wise move-
ment for securing business co-opera-
tion among farmers and put back half
a century the progress of the move-
ment for the betterment of labor.

Bearing this in mind, I would sug-
gest, tentatively, the following
changes in the law: The substantive
part of the antitrust law should re-
main as at present; that is, every con-
tract in restraint of trade or com-
merce among the several states or with
foreign nations should continue to be
declared illegal; provided, however,
that some proper governmental au-
thority (such as the commissioner of
corporations acting under the secretary
of commerce and labor) be allowed to
pass on any such contracts. Probably
the best method of providing for this
would be to enact that any contract
subject to the prohibition contained in
the antitrust law into which it was de-
signed to enter might be filed with the
bureau of corporations or other ap-
propriate executive body. This would
provide publicity. Within, say, sixty
days of the filing—which period could
be extended by order of the depart-
ment whenever for any reason it did
not give the department sufficient time
for a thorough examination—the ex-
ecutive department having power
might forbid the contract, which would
then become subject to the provisions
of the antitrust law if at all in re-
straint of trade.

If no such prohibition was issued
the contract would then only be lia-
ble to attack on the ground that it
constituted an unreasonable restraint
of trade. Whenever the period of fil-
ing had passed without any such pro-
hibition the contracts or combinations
could be a disapproved or forbidden
only after notice and hearing with a
reasonable provision for summary re-
view on appeal by the courts. Labor
organizations, farmers' organizations,
and other organizations not organized
for purposes of profit, should be al-
lowed to register under the law by giv-
ing the location of the head office, the
charter and bylaws, and the names
and addresses of their principal offi-
cers. In the interest of all these or-
ganizations—business, labor, and
farmers' organizations alike—the
present provision permitting the re-
covery of treble damages should be
abolished, and as a substitute there-
for the right of recovery allowed for
should be only the damages sustained
by the plaintiff and the cost of suit,
including a reasonable attorneys' fee.
The law should not affect pending
suits; a short statute of limitations
should be provided, so far as the past
is concerned, not to exceed a year.
Moreover, and even more in the inter-
est of labor than of business combina-
tions, all such suits brought for causes
of action heretofore occurred should
be brought only if the contract or com-
bination complained of was unfair or
unreasonable.

AS TO UNIONS AND STRIKES

**Peaceful Combination for Legal Pur-
pose the Right of All.**

It is important that we should en-
courage agreements between employer
and employee where they are just and
fair. A strike is a clumsy weapon for
righting wrongs done to labor, and we
should extend, so far as possible, the
process of conciliation and arbitration
as a substitute for strikes. Moreover,
violence, disorder and coercion, when
committed in connection with strikes,
should be as promptly and as sternly
repressed as when committed in any
other connection. But strikes them-
selves are, and should be, recognized
to be entirely legal. Combinations of
workmen have a peculiar reason for
their existence. The very wealthy in-
dividual employer—and still more the
very wealthy corporation—stand at an

enormous advantage when compared
to the individual workman.

Twenty-two years ago, by the act of
June 29, 1886, trades unions were re-
cognized by law, and the right of labor-
ing people to combine for all lawful
purposes was formally recognized, this
right including combination for mutual
protection and benefits, the regulation
of wages, hours and conditions of la-
bor, and the protection of the indi-
vidual rights of the workmen in the
prosecution of their trade or trades;
and in the act of June 1, 1898, strikes
were recognized as legal in the same
provision that forbade participation in
or instigation of force or violence
against persons or property, or the at-
tempt to prevent others from working
by violence, threat, or intimidation.
The business man must be protected
in person and property, and so must
the farmer and the wage-worker; and
as regards all alike the right of peace-
ful combination for all lawful pur-
poses should be explicitly recognized.

The right of employers to combine
and contract with one another and with
their employees should be explicitly re-
cognized, and so should the right of the
employees to combine and to contract
with one another and with the em-
ployers, and to seek peacefully to per-
suade others to accept their views,
and to strike for the purpose of peace-
fully obtaining from employers satis-
factory terms for their labor. Nothing
should be done to legalize either a
blacklist or a boycott that would be
illegal at common law; this being the
type of boycott defined and condemned
by the antitrust strike commission.

REVISION OF THE TARIFF

**Would Make Wood Pulp Free at Once
—Other Matters Urged.**

The question of financial legislation
is now receiving such attention in both
houses that we have a right to expect
action before the close of the session.
It is urgently necessary that there
should be such action. Moreover, ac-
tion should be taken to establish pos-
sible savings banks. These postal sav-
ings banks are imperatively needed for
the benefit of the wage-workers and
men of small means, and will be a val-
uable adjunct to our whole financial
system.

The time has come when we should
prepare for a revision of the tariff.
This should be—and, indeed, must be—
preceded by careful investigation. It
is peculiarly the province of the con-
gress and not of the president—and
indeed peculiarly the province of the
house of representatives—to originate
a tariff bill and to determine upon its
terms, and this I fully realize. It
seems to me that before the close of
this session provision should be made
for collection of full material which
will enable the congress elected next
fall to act immediately after it comes
into existence. This would neces-
sitate some action by the congress at
the present session, perhaps in the
shape of directing the proper com-
mittee to gather the necessary infor-
mation, both through the committee it-
self and through government agents
who should report to the committee
and should lay before it the facts
which would permit it to act with
prompt and intelligent fairness. These
government agents, if it is not deemed
wise to appoint individuals from out-
side the public service, might with
advantage be members of the execu-
tive departments designated by the
president, on his own motion or on
the request of the committee to act
with it. I am of the opinion,
however, that one change in the
tariff could with advantage be made
forthwith. Our forests need every
protection, and one method of protect-
ing them would be to put upon the
free list wood pulp, with a correspond-
ing reduction upon paper made from
wood pulp when they come from any
country that does not put an export
duty upon them.

Ample provision should be made for
a permanent waterways commission,
with whatever power is required to
make it effective, the reasonable ex-
pectation of the people will not be
met unless congress provides at this
session for the beginning and prosecu-
tion of the actual work of waterway
improvement and control. The con-
gress should recognize in fullest fas-
hion the fact that the subject of the
conservation of our natural resources,
with which this commission deals, is
literally vital for the future of
the nation. Numerous bills grant-
ing water power rights on naviga-
ble streams have been introduced.
None of them gives the government
the right to make a reasonable charge
for the valuable privileges so granted.
In spite of the fact that these water
power privileges are equivalent to
many thousands of acres of the best
coal lands for their production of pow-
er. Nor is any definite time limit set,
as should always be done in such
cases. I shall be obliged hereafter, in
accordance with the policy stated in a
recent message, to vote any water
power bill, which does not provide for
a time limit and for the right of the
president or of the secretary concerned
to fix and collect such a charge as he
may find to be just and reasonable in
each case.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT,
White House, March 25, 1908.

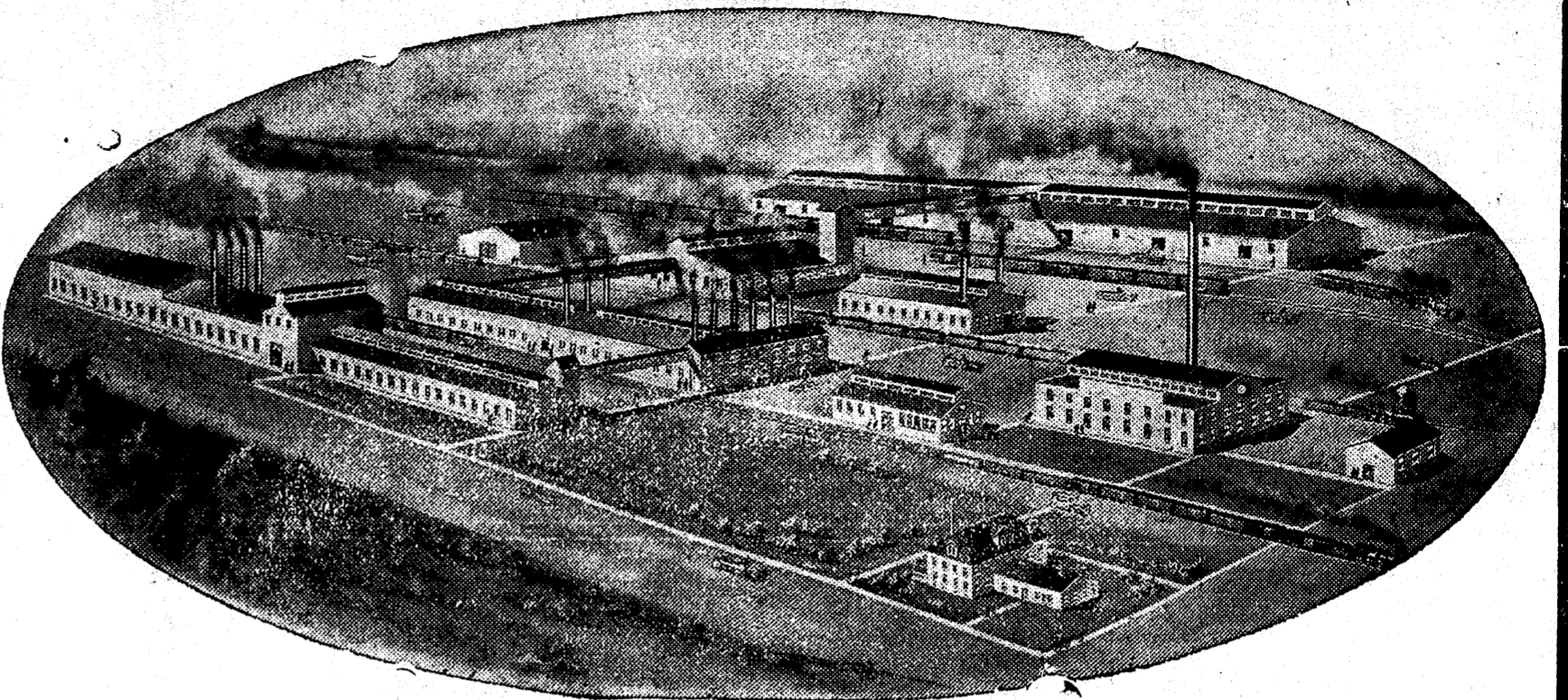
Was Likely to Startle Them.

Falling a distance of fifteen feet
into the aisle of the Peformed church
at Muskegon, Mich., a central
chandelier started 200 worshippers dur-
ing the singing of the closing hymn at
an evening service. Women screamed
and men were on the verge of rushing
for the exits in a panic. But the choir,
led by the pastor, Rev. J. N. Brock,
continued singing as though nothing
unusual had happened and the cool-
ness of those on the platform quieted
the fears of the congregation.

The Continental Portland Cement Company.

3,000 BARRELS DAILY CAPACITY

The mill is two-thirds completed and will be ready for operation on or about July 1st, 1908



A Safe and Profitable Investment for You in a Home Industry, Less Than One-Tenth of This Stock Remains Unsold

The Continental Portland Cement company is marching with
swift pace to the goal.

The fact that only one-tenth of this stock remains unsold is
sufficient proof of its popularity with the investing public.

WHAT'S THE SECRET?

This proposition has been the subject of investigation of in-
vestors, chemists and competent engineers.

The officers and board of directors of this company are among
the most successful and conservative business men of the city, and
their names alone will guarantee a safe as well as profitable invest-
ment.

"A RARE OPPORTUNITY."

As a rule clerks, mechanics, storekeepers and professional men
and women having a desire to better their conditions have little
or no opportunity to invest in legitimate and profitable manufactur-
ing enterprises. Especially in home industries.

YOUR CHANCE IS HERE.

The Continental Portland Cement company offers you 7 per
cent preferred stock at \$93.00 per share, each payment only 10
per cent down and the balance to be paid in nine equal installments,
covering a period of nine months.

A bonus of one share of common stock is given with each share
of preferred, par value of both \$200 for \$93.00.
Another advantage, the company's charter provides that after three
years, the preferred stock may be redeemed at par. In that event
the common stock will become very valuable. You will then have

DIRECTORS—David A. Marks, St. Louis, Mo.; John A. Cruikshank,
Covington, Ky.; Otto C. Oehler, St. Louis, Mo.; John S. Littleford,
St. Louis, Mo.; Richard V. Burkhardt, Dayton, Ohio; George Beck,
St. Louis, Mo.; J. L. Ballinger, Plain City, O.; D. H. Kirwan, Plain City Ohio; S. M. Brandebury, Cincinnati, Ohio.
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE—David A. Marks, Chairman.

received pay for your preferred stock, and the common stock will
receive the benefits of the entire earnings of the company.

PROSPECTIVE VALUE OF COMMON STOCK.

In paying 7 per cent dividends on the preferred stock, all
earnings over such requirements will go to paying dividends on the
common stock. Not infrequently in well managed, legitimate con-
cerns, the dividends on common stock are from two to three times
more than that of the preferred.

Considering the fact of our nearness to a sufficient supply of raw
material on hand to last over a hundred years, and one of the
finest and best equipped cement mills in the United States we feel
safe in predicting a great future for the common stock in the Con-
tinental Portland Cement company.

The German Savings Institution of St. Louis is the company's
depository.

If you are interested, write to us to day for Prospectus, or call
at our office.

Address all communications to

CRUIKSHANK & RITTER.

1206 Syndicate Trust Building
Tenth and Olive Streets, ST. LOUIS, MO.

Bellevue, Ohio; Louis Fuz, St. Louis, Mo.; Charles F. Ritter,
Hon. O. B. Brown, Dayton, Ohio; H. L. Parker,
St. Louis, Mo.; T. J. Cookson, Cincinnati, Ohio; C. H. Morrill, St.
Louis, Mo.; J. L. Ballinger, Plain City, O.; D. H. Kirwan, Plain City Ohio; S. M. Brandebury, Cincinnati, Ohio.

THE MARKETS.

Following is today's range of grain
prices compiled by S. T. Erickson, room
15, Hockenbush building, Illinois
phone, 450; Bell phone, 502:
Wheat—High, Low, Close
May 35.55 34.94 34.94
July 30.88 29.89 29.89
September 28.78 28.04 28.04
Corn—
May 67.78 66.64 66.64
July 64.44 64.44 64.44
September 64.64 63.64 63.64
Oats—
May 54.54 54.44 54.44
July 49.48 48.48 48.48
September 39.94 38.94 38.94
Rye—
May 12.55 12.42 12.42
July 12.92 12.82 12.82
Lard—
May 7.95 7.92 7.92
July 8.17 8.15 8.15
Chicago—
May 6.82 6.77 6.77
July 6.12 6.07 6.07

New York Stocks.

Report made by S. T. Erickson, room
15, Hockenbush building, Illinois
phone, 450; Bell, 502.
High, Low, Close.
Amer. Smelting 74 72 74
Amer. Copper 60 58 60
Amer. Sugar 12 11 12
Atchafalpa 7 6 7
Chicago & N. W. 5 5 5
C. M. & St. P. 120 118 119
Colo. Fuel and Iron 22 22 22
South. Pacific 15 14 15
Louisville & N. 101 100 101
Illinois Central 126 126 126
Great Nor. pfd 59 58 59
Great Nor. pfd 124 123 124
U. S. Steel 117 116 117
N. Y. & N. J. 34 33 34
N. Y. Central 99 98 99
Norfolk & W. 66 65 66
Pennsylvania 117 116 117
People's Gas 90 90 90
Reading 106 106 106
Rock Island 15 15 15
Rock Island pfd 25 25 25
St. Paul 75 74 75
South. Railway 15 14 15
Nor. Pacific 128 126 128
Pacific Mail 32 31 32
Union Pacific 125 125 125
U. S. Steel 100 99 100
Wabash 9 9 9
Wabash pfd 17 17 17
Western Union 50 50 50

Chicago Grain Market.

(By Associated Press.)
Chicago, March 25.—Wheat—A
slump occurred late in the day fol-
lowing considerable firmness earlier
in the session. PR. traders were
benignly inclined the entire day
owing to reports emanating from the
southwest, which claimed fall sown
crop in good condition; but offerings
from this source was not sufficient to
cause any decline until augmented
during the final hour by heavy sales
by leading commission houses. This
combined selling pressure caused a
sharp decline, from which the mar-
ket failed to rally. Early strength
due to advance of Liverpool and
small receipts northwest. Absence

of demand for cash wheat also a de-
pressing factor. The close was
weak.

Corn—Stronger a greater part of the
day, but weakened late in the session
on heavy realizing of sales. Slump
in wheat partly responsible for the
decline. Firm cables and continued
small receipts chief bullish influ-
ences. Commission houses principal
buyers.

Oats—There was small trade and
prices were steady. A greater part
of the business was in July and Sep-
tember.

	Re- ceipts	Ship- ments
Flour, blbls	50,000	32,000
Wheat, bus	30,000	80,000
Corn, bus	232,000	171,000
Oats, bus	426,000	257,000

Chicago Livestock Market.
Chicago, March 25.—Cattle—Re-
ceipts, 17,000. Market active and
10 to 15c higher. Steers, \$3.50 @
7.35; cows, \$3.05 @ 5.50; heifers,
\$3.40 @ 5.70; bulls, \$3.50 @ 5.00;
Calves, \$5.00 @ 6.00; stockers and
feeders, \$3.25 @ 5.10.
Hogs—Receipts, 25,000. Market
15c higher. Choice heavy shipping
\$5.20 @ 5.30; butchers, \$5.20 @ 5.30;
light mixed, \$5.15 @ 5.20; choice
light, \$5.20 @ 5.25; packing, \$4.75 @
5.20; bulk of sales, \$5.10 @ 5.25.
Sheep—Receipts, 14,000. Market
strong to 10c higher. Sheep, \$4.50 @
7.00; lambs, \$6.50 @ 8.15; yearlings,
\$7.00 @ 7.80.

St. Louis Livestock Market.
St. Louis, March 25.—Cattle—Re-
ceipts, 2,500. Market 10 to 15c
higher. Native shipping and export
steers, \$6.10 @ 7.00; dressed beef and
butcher steers, \$4.75 @ 6.20; stock-
ers and feeders, \$3.00 @ 5.25; cows
and heifers, \$1.75 @ 6.00; bulls, \$3 @
5.35; calves, \$3.50 @ 7.00.
Hogs—Receipts, 6,000. Market
5 to 10c higher. Range, \$4.00 @ 5.35.

Unable to Digest THE FOOD.

The digestive system is a wonderful piece
of machinery, but power is necessary to make
it effective.

(The power, in this case, is the nerve force
and with the nerves exhausted the digestive
system becomes hopelessly crippled. There is
indigestion, headache, neuralgia pains and
spells of weakness, dizziness and discouragement
Strength cannot be regained from the food
you eat, but can be restored by

Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills

This great prescription of the famous
Receipt Book author, A. W. Chase, M. D.
insists into the feeble, worn-out nerves
and strength, enriches the blood, invigorates
the nerves which control digestive fluids, sharp-
ens the appetite and builds up the system in
Nature's way. 50 cts. a box, at all dealers or
Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y.
Mr. S. M. Wheeler, the well-known
Electrical Engineer of Tuscorora Sts.,
Addison, N. Y., states:
"I consider Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills a
great success in nervous dyspepsia. I was
troubled for ten years and never found any
treatment so wonderfully rapid and good in
effect. The stomach is strong now, and I eat
what I please and enjoy it."
LEE P. ALLOTT, Druggist.

Grand Steam Laundry

214 East Court St. Both Phones.

Family Washings, Rough, Dry or
Finished.

STATE NEWS

Struggle on Car Roof.

Champaign—Hurled from a fast
moving freight car by two tramps
worn to attempt to eject from a
box car, John Stull, an Illinois Cen-
tral brakeman, residing in this city,
was killed two miles south of Effing-
ham. A woman residing near the
scene witnessed the tragedy and tele-
phoned the Effingham police, who
placed the three men under arrest.
Stull was 50 years of age and one
of the best known men on the road.
He was fearless and venturesome and
it is believed was enforcing an order
of the road to keep all tramps off
trains. Railroad detectives and Effing-
ham county officials are investi-
gating.

Chickens Go on Drunk.

Urbana—Several chickens belong-
ing to George Horn of this city got
drunk on the entire lot of forty shown
a decided state of intoxication. The
chickens ate these with a most greedy
relish and by the time they had them
down the entire lot of forty showed
a decided state of intoxication. They
were scattered about the yard and
some of them were entirely lifeless,
while others could be seen leaning
up against any old object they could
find.

Stanton Newspaper Sold.

Litchfield—T. H. Edwards, a well
known newspaper man of this sec-
tion has sold the Stanton (Ill.)
Times to M. H. Meyers of this city,
who was formerly connected with
one of the papers in this city. The
formal transfer will be made in a few
days. The deal was consummated
through the agency of H. F. Henrichs
of this city.

Fatally Burned.

Taylorville—Mrs. Thomas Will-
iams of Shawburg, was fatally
burned at 10 o'clock Wednesday
as a result of her clothes catching
on fire from a pile of rubbish she was
burning in the yard of her home.
She was raking rubbish into a heap
when her dress, a loose wrapper, was
ignited. In an instant she was en-
veloped in flames and before assist-
ance could reach her every stitch of
clothing was burned from her body.

New School at Beardstown.

Beardstown—After a fight which
lasted for the past two years and
which has waxed hot at times, it has
finally been voted that Beardstown
is to have a new school house, bonds
to the amount of \$35,000 being
authorized by the election held here
Tuesday. The new building will be
of twelve rooms and will be on the
grounds now occupied by the Second
ward school. The congested con-
dition of the other schools of the
city has made this move imperative.

Wall paper and painting. See
Rodriguez for cheapest prices. 230
West Court street.

For Your Digestion's Sake.

Why eat wood?
Cellulose is like wood. It's
in wheat. It should be milled
out. Generally it isn't.
You can't find a speck of it
in Gold Medal Flour.

That's why it's so whole-
some.

Gold Medal Flour
WASHBURN-CROSBY
GOLD MEDAL FLOUR

For Sale
by Grocers

STEINWAY PIANOS

We can sell you either a new or slightly used
Steinway for very little more than the price
of an ordinary instrument. Let us quote you
figures and tell you why it is, beyond all
question, to your interest to purchase one of
these magnificent pianos. We will gladly
arrange easy monthly payments and still
give you the benefit of our lowest cash prices.
A handsome catalog and interesting litera-
ture mailed free.
LYON & NEALY, 30 Adams St., Chicago
Sole Representatives

FOR YOUR SUNDAY DINNER

Try the following delightful dessert:
1 cup English Walnuts.
1 cup raisins.
1 cup currants.
1 cup sugar.
1 cup JELL-O.
Dissolve the JELL-O in a pint of